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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA
ROANOKE DIVISION

DAVID A. FARMER ,
Petitioner,

v.

ALAN V. WARD, et al.,
Respondent.

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Civil Action No. 7:07-cv-00472

FINAL ORDER

By: Hon. James C. Turk
Senior United States District Judge

In accordance with the written memorandum opinion entered this day, it is hereby

ADJUDGED AND ORDERED

that the above referenced petition for writ of habeas corpus, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254, shall be and hereby is **DISMISSED** without prejudice for failure to exhaust state court remedies; all claims against Alan V. Ward and Mr. Stratton are hereby **DISMISSED**, as they are not appropriate respondents to this habeas case, and the case is hereby stricken from the active docket of the court.

The Clerk is directed to send a copy of this final order and the accompanying memorandum opinion to the petitioner.

ENTER: This 29th day of October, 2007.

James C. Turk

Senior United States District Judge